Attorney's Docket Number Form PTO-1390 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE 17625-0073 (Rev. 1001-2003) U.S. Application No. TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES (if known, see 37 CFR 1.5) DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 International Application No. International Filing Date Priority Date Claimed PCT/US03/020567 27 June 2003 27 June 2002 Title of Invention NANO-SIZED OPTICAL FLUORESCENCE LABELS AND USES THEREOF Applicant(s) for DO/EO/US Robert Martin DICKSON and Jie ZHENG Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. 2. \square This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. \boxtimes This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), and (9) and (21) indicated below. \boxtimes The US has been elected (Article 31). \boxtimes A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) is attached herewith (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). b. 🔲 has been communicated by the International Bureau. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). c. 🔲 6. An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). is attached herewith. a. 🔲 b. 🔲 has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). \boxtimes Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). b. 🔲 have been communicated by the International Bureau. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. c. 🔲 have not been made and will not be made. An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). A signed oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). \boxtimes 10. An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)). Items 11. to 20. below concern document(s) or information included: 11. An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. 12. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. A preliminary amendment. 13. 14. An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76. 15. A substitute specification. 16. 🔲 A power of attorney and/or change of address letter. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 U.S.C. 1.821 - 1.825. 18. 🛛 A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). 20. Other items or information: Express Mail Label No. EL 973737697 US Date: December 27, 2004 Page 1 of 2

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